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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: Joy Hofmeister

DATE: January 26, 2017

SUBJECT: Appeal by ABLE Charter School

ABLE Charter School has appealed a decision by the Virtual Charter School Board to terminate its contract for sponsorship. Under Oklahoma law, the State Board of Education hears this appeal. The Board may uphold the decision of the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board, reverse that decision, or remand the matter back for further proceedings as directed.

The record from the Virtual Charter School Board is as follows:

- 1. A written transcript of the proceedings before that Board
- 2. The certified record of the hearing consisting of all pleadings and motions, trial exhibits, and final order.

The record from the State Board of Education is as follows:

- 1. Notice of Appeal of Termination of Charter Contract of ABLE Charter School
- 2. Brief in Chief of Appellant ABLE Charter School
- 3. Response Brief of Petitioner Appellee Statewide Virtual Charter School Board
- 4. Reply to Response Brief of Petitioner Appellee Statewide Virtual Charter School Board

David L. Kinney will advise the Board during this proceeding.